

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Frederick M. Mako, Robert L. Bruce

Application No.: 10/773,516

Filed: February 5, 2004

For: CERAMIC JOINING

Group No.: 1734

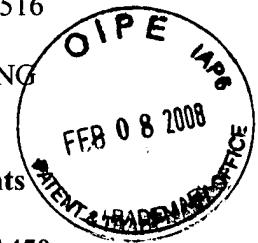
Examiner: Melvin C. Mayes

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES
(37 C.F.R. § 41.31)**

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner, mailed August 6, 2007, for a second time rejecting claims 9-11.

1. STATUS OF APPLICANT

This application is on behalf of a small entity. A statement was already filed on December 3, 2001.

2. FEE FOR FILING NOTICE OF APPEAL

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 41.20(b)(1), the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal is:

Small entity \$255.00

Notice of Appeal fee due \$255.00

3. EXTENSION OF TERM

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply.

Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 (fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(1)-(4)) for 3:
Fee \$525.00

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

An extension for three months has already been secured, and the fee paid therefor of \$525.00 is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

Extension fee due with this request \$0.00

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4. TOTAL FEE DUE

The total fee due is:

Notice of Appeal fee	\$255.00
Extension fee	\$0.00
TOTAL FEE DUE	\$255.00

5. FEE PAYMENT

Attached is a check in the amount of \$255.00.

A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

6. FEE DEFICIENCY

If any additional extension and/or fee is required, and if any additional fee for claims is required, charge Deposit Account No. 19-0737.



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